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In connection with the Office Action mailed September 7, 2005 in the aboveentitled application, Applicant respectfully requests a one (1) month extension in which to file a response, from December 7, 2005 to January 7, 2006.

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